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APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent
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(37 C.F.R. 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. ☒ Power of Attorney
7. ☒ Original U.S. Patent currently ☒ Yes ☐ No
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))
- ☒ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)
- ☒ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement
(PTO/SB/96)
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or large table
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. ☒ Statement of status and support for all changes
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11. ☐ Original Patent Grant
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☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
12. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)
(if applicable)
13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS
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14. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration
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(C) 3	Independent claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	(D) 20	* 17 =	x \$ 43 =	\$731		x \$ 86 =	\$1,462
Basic Fee (37 CFR					\$385			\$770
Total Filing Fee					\$1,998			\$3,996

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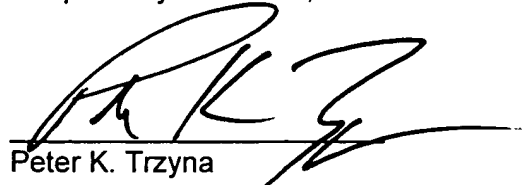
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